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HB No. 79

Abstract: Renames the High School Redesign Commission as the College and Career Readiness Commission.

<u>Present law</u> creates and provides for the High School Redesign Commission for the purpose of making recommendations for the development of statewide policies, principles, and programs that address the state's economic needs and promoting student success in high school and life beyond secondary education. Places the commission as an advisory agency within the Dept. of Education of the executive branch of state government. <u>Proposed law</u> renames the commission as the College and Career Readiness Commission and otherwise retains <u>present law</u>.

<u>Present law</u>, relative to the La. Community and Technical College System, recognizes the importance of vocational and technical education in the implementation of several initiatives, including high school redesign. <u>Proposed law</u> refers to college and career readiness instead of high school redesign and otherwise retains <u>present law</u>.

(Amends R.S. 17:3217.1(C)(1), the heading of Chapter 41 of Title 17, and 3951(A) and R.S. 36:651(G)(2))